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Honorable Commissioner:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §\$1.97 1.99, Applicants hereby notify the United States Patent and Trademark Office of the following information. The subject invention generally relates to a well light system. Applicants respectfully submit that all pending claims are patentable over the submitted information, alone or in combination.

Around October, 2000, a patent that might be associated with well lights was noted. That patent was either owned or invented by Joshua Beadle. However, Applicants are not aware of the patent number or the actual issue date.

The submission of the present information is not intended as an admission that any such patent constitutes prior art against the claims of the present application. Applicants reserve the right to dispute any of the present information as prior art during examination. Further, Applicants do not waive any right to take any action that would be appropriate to antedate or otherwise remove any information as a competent reference

against the claims of the present application. Furthermore, the submission of this Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that no other material information may exist.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed along with the abovereferenced patent application. Therefore, no certification under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e) or fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) is required.

Respectfully submitted,

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